AMENDI Applicant(s): Buzbe	MENT TRANSMI	Docket No. 10971491-3							
Serial No. 10/625,790	Filing Dat July 23, 20		Examiner Seye, Abdou K.		Confirmation No.		Group Art Unit 2194		
Invention: System and Method for Efficiently Blocking Even Signals Associated with an Operating System									
Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop Issue Fee P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450									
Transmitted herewith is Notification of Large Entity Status in the above-identified application.  The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below									
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<ul> <li>No additional fee is required.</li> <li>Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-2025 in the amount of \$1488.00.</li> <li>A check in the amount of to cover the filing fee is enclosed.</li> <li>A Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 is attached in the amount of \$.</li> <li>The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies of the above fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-2025.</li> </ul>									

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#### **PATENT**

#### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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	Buzbe	e, et al.	)	Confirmation No.	9002
Serial	No.:	10/625,790	)	Art Unit:	2194
Filed:		July 23, 2003	)	Examiner:	Seye, Abdou K.
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#### **NOTIFICATION OF LARGE ENTITY STATUS**

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Sir:

In regard to the above-identified application, Applicants hereby notify the Patent Office that the entity status assigned to the application should be changed from small to large, and Applicants submit the following remarks.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those which may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Hewlett-Packard Company, L.P. Deposit Account No. 08-2025.

### **REMARKS**

On July 3, 2003, Applicants filed a Request for a Continuing Application Under 37 CFR 1.53(b). On page 2 of the Request, Applicants indicated that the fees for additional claims fees were \$714.00 and inadvertently indicated that the basic filing fee was \$0. Accordingly, the Request indicated that fees of \$714 were due, when it appears that the total due, for a large entity, was actually \$1464.00. Due to this error, it appears that the Patent Office incorrectly assigned a small entity status for the instant application. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.28(c), Applicants hereby advise the Patent Office that the assignee is a large entity.

Further, attached herewith as Exhibit A is a hard copy of the Fee Record Sheet for the instant application indicating that the Patent Office apparently charged the assignee a basic filing fee of \$375 and additional claims fees of \$357.00 (*i.e.*, \$63.00 for dependent claims and \$294 for independent claims) for the Request for a Continuing Application. Below is an itemized list of the fees paid and deficiency due in order to correct for the error in entity status pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.28(c)(2):

Type of Fee	Date of Payment	Fee Paid	Current Fee Amount	Deficiency Owed
Basic Filing Fee	July 25, 2003	\$375.00	\$1,030.00	\$655.00
Total Claims Fee	July 25, 2003	\$63.00	\$350.00	\$287.00
Independent Claims	July 25, 2003	\$294.00	\$840.00	\$546.00
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Submitted herewith is a payment of \$1488.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.28(c)(2).

If the Examiner has any questions or comments regarding this paper, the Examiner is encouraged to telephone Applicants' undersigned counsel.

Respectfully submitted,

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